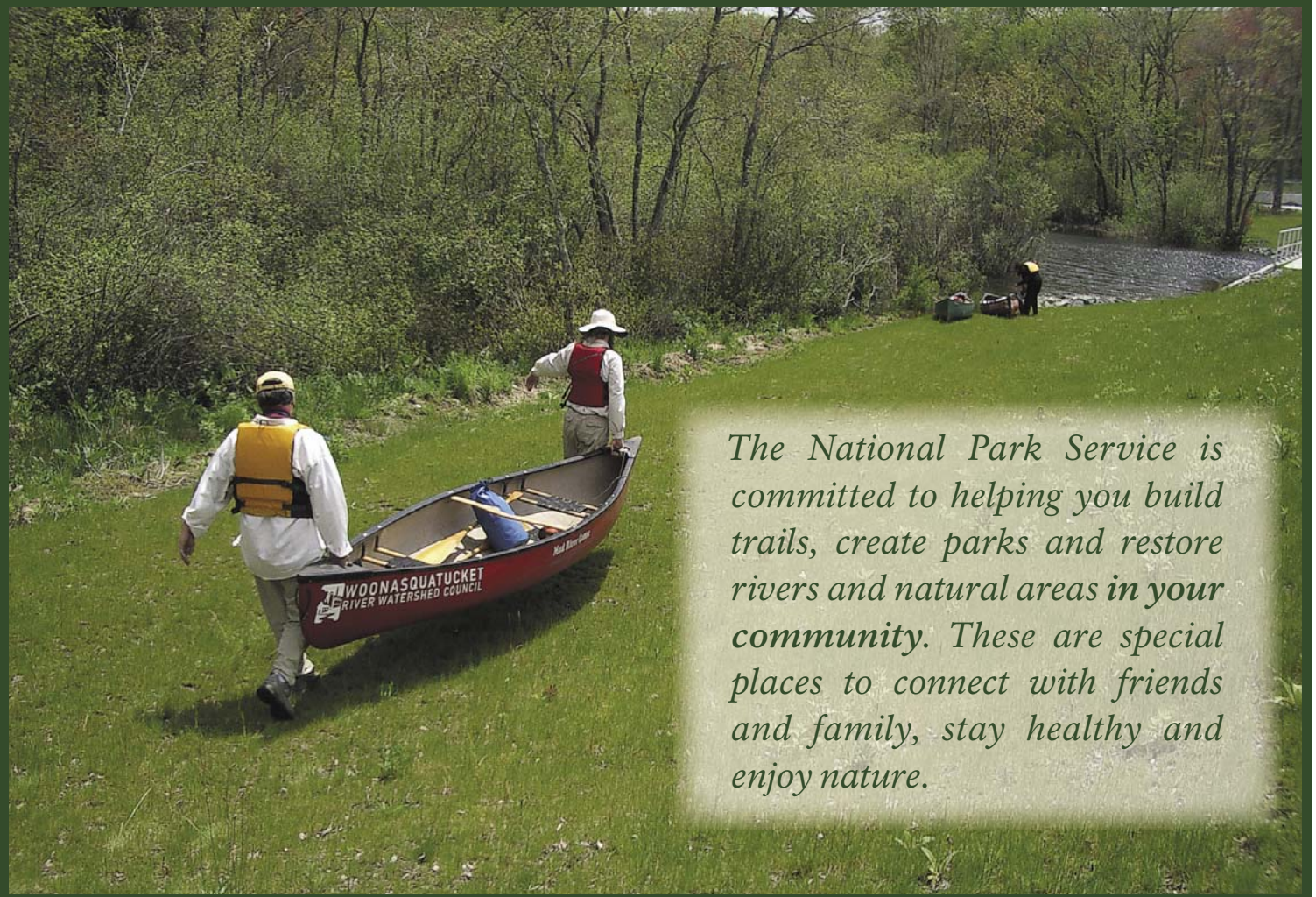




Rivers, Trails & Conservation Assistance Program

Northeast Region 2007



The National Park Service is committed to helping you build trails, create parks and restore rivers and natural areas in your community. These are special places to connect with friends and family, stay healthy and enjoy nature.





Families riding on bike paths. Couples relaxing People launching canoes and kayaks to

2007 PROJECTS & PARTNERS

CONNECTICUT

Metacomet-Monadnock-Mattabesett Trail
Connecticut Forest & Park Association

DELAWARE

Northern Delaware Heritage Trail Network
New Castle County

MARYLAND

Deer Creek Watershed
Harford County Department of Planning & Zoning
Miles River Watershed
Talbot County Office of Planning & Zoning
North Branch Potomac River
Maryland Department of Natural Resources

MAINE

Bethel Area Trails
Mahosuc Land Trust
Canton Shoreland Trails
Town of Canton
Down East Sunrise Trail
Sunrise Trail Coalition
Farm Cove Community Forest
Downeast Lakes Land Trust
Thoreau-Wabanaki Trail
Maine Woods Forever
West End Trails
South Portland Land Trust

MASSACHUSETTS

Allston Brighton Green Spaces
Allston Brighton CDC
Attleboro Trail System
Attleboro YMCA
Border to Boston Trail
Essex National Heritage Commission
Concord River Greenway
Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust
French River Connection
French River Connection
Metacomet-Monadnock-Mattabesett Trail
Appalachian Mountain Club
East Branch Trail /Westfield River
Westfield Wild & Scenic River Committee

NEW HAMPSHIRE

East Coast Greenway/NH
Rockingham Planning Commission

Goffstown Rail Trail

Friends of the Greenway
Lamprey Wild & Scenic River
Lamprey Wild & Scenic River Committee
Northern Rail Trail in Merrimack County
Friends of the Northern Rail Trail–
Merrimack County
Pemigewasset & Baker River Waterfront
Plymouth State University Center for Environment

NEW JERSEY

Camden Metro Region Trails
Rails-to-Trails Conservancy NE Office
Cape Island Creek Trail
Cape May Courthouse Boro
Elizabeth River Trail
Groundwork Elizabeth
Passaic River Water Trail
Lower Passaic & Saddle River Alliance
Rutherford Pathways
Rutherford Education Foundation

NEW YORK CITY

City Life Is Moving Bodies
Columbia University Mailman School
of Public Health
Harlem Healthsheds
City of New York Parks & Recreation
Rockaway Beach Branch Greenway
Rockaway Beach Branch Greenway Committee

NEW YORK STATE

Hyde Park Healthy Trails
Dutchess County Department of Health
Middletown Orange Heritage Trail
Orange Pathways
Walkway Over the Hudson
Walkway Over the Hudson, Inc.

PENNSYLVANIA

Pennsylvania DCNR
Activate Chester County Initiative
Chester County YMCA
Blairsville Trail Town
Blairsville Improvement Group
Delight Walking & Bike Trail
Nathanael Greene Historical Foundation
Hopewell Big Woods
Hopewell Big Woods Partnership

Loyalhanna Creek Trail

Loyalhanna Watershed Association
Sheepskin Rail-Trail
Fayette County Planning
Steel Valley Trail
Steel Valley Trail Council
Tookany-Tacony-Frankford Watershed
TTF Partnership

RHODE ISLAND

Rhode Island Blueways
Rhode Island Rivers Council

VERMONT

Bellows Falls Riverfront Park & Trails
Bellows Falls Historical Society
Faulkner Trail Restoration
Billings Park Commission
Island Line
Local Motion
Paran Pathways
Paran Pathways Coalition
Path Around Lyndonville
Lyndon Institute

VIRGINIA

Appomattox Heritage & Recreational Trail
Region 2000 Regional Commission
George Washington Birthplace Watershed
George Washington Birthplace NM
Farmville Greenway
Farmville Greenways Alliance
Middle Peninsula Land Conservation
Middle Peninsula Land Trust
New River Green Infrastructure
New River Valley Planning District
Page County Watershed
Page County Department of Environmental Services
Shenandoah Pure Water Forum
Shenandoah Pure Water Forum
Tobacco Heritage Trail
Roanoke River Rails-to-Trails, Inc
VA RC&D Green Infrastructure
Virginia Resource Conservation and Development
Virginia Capital Trail
The Virginia Capital Trail Foundation
Winchester-Frederick Bike-Ped Initiative
City of Winchester





*in an urban park.
enjoy a restored river.*

WEST VIRGINIA

Cacapon Voices

Cacapon and Lost Rivers Land Trust

Coal Heritage Assistance

Coal Heritage Area

National River Trail

Town of Ansted

Terra Alta Park Trail

Terra Alta Betterment, Inc.

Walhonde Water Trail

Coal River Group

MULTI-STATE

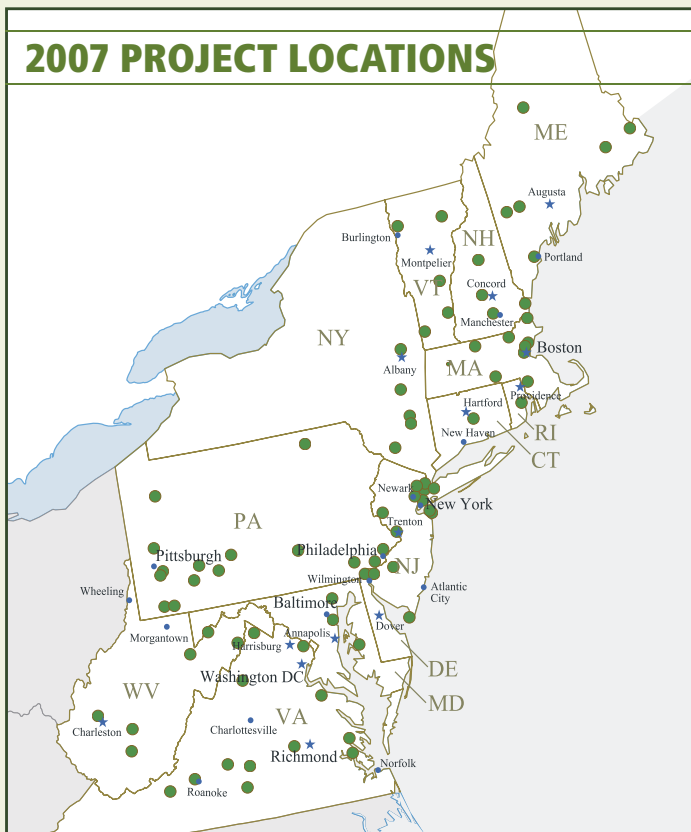
Great Eastern Trail (MD, NY, PA, VA, WV)

Potomac Appalachian Trail Club

That's what we do.

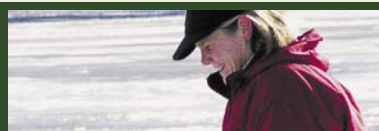
The Rivers, Trails & Conservation Assistance program provides staff time and technical assistance for 1-2 years to projects that need an extra hand to take the next leap forward to success. We work with citizens' groups and non-profits, helping them realize their vision of how to improve their communities, whether it's through a rail-trail, urban park, or a restored river. The National Park Service helps make it happen.

2007 PROJECT LOCATIONS



2006 SUCCESSES

Miles of new trail (Land)	400
Miles of new trail (Water)	281
Miles of river restored or improved	130
Number of communities receiving our assistance	276
Dollars leveraged for our projects	\$100M
Number of organizations established or enhanced	111
Acres Conserved/Protected	6245





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We want to help you.

If you're working on restoring a river, building a trail, or making an urban park flourish, we'd love to talk with you about ways we might be able to work together. Please:

- Call or email us today
(see regional contacts)
- Visit our website, www.nps.gov/rtca
- Sign up for our RTCA Northeast region monthly e-newsletter, which contains targeted information to help you, by emailing jennifer_guentour@nps.gov.

Apply for assistance.

Could your project benefit from 1-2 years' staff time and technical assistance from a trained National Park Service specialist? Please contact your regional RTCA representative today to determine if your project is a good fit. We want to help you succeed. Download an application at www.nps.gov/rtca; the deadline is August 1, 2007.

*"All of us in the Northeast
Region of the National Park
Service look forward to
working with you."*

Mary A. Bomar
Director, National Park Service

Chrysandra Walter
Acting Regional Director, Northeast Region

